

REMARKS

The Examiner's continued attention to the application is noted with appreciation. Claim 7 is amended to include the subject matter of now canceled claim 23, which was merely objected to.

An earnest attempt has been made to respond to each and every ground of rejection advanced by the Examiner, without introduction of new matter or raising new issues. However, should the Examiner have any queries, suggestions or comments relating to a speedy disposition of the application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned.

Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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